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Title: Data Processing Systems and Methods for
Processing Work Items in Such Systems

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith are the following documents relating to the above-identified patent application:

- (1) Amendment and Response to Office Action;
- (2) Change of Correspondence Address;
- (3) Transmittal of Formal Drawings; and
- (4) Formal Drawings (4 sheets).

Please extend the period for response by one month to January 27, 2003. There is an additional claim fee of \$84 due in conjunction with the Amendment. Please charge **International Business Machines Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510** the amount of \$194 (\$84 to cover the additional claim fee and \$110 to cover the one month extension fee). In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit **Deposit Account No. 50-0510** as required to correct the error. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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